

#### FY2013 Selective Review Information Request (SRIR)

10/18/13

Contact Name: Dr. Nam Williams Applicant Name: Alhambra ESD

FCC Form 471 Application Number(s): 899427 900314 Response Due Date: 11/9/13 – Extension granted

#### PLEASE CALL TO CONFIRM THAT THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

Dear Applicant:

This document requests the following information:

(Part I) Competitive bidding and vendor selection processes, technology plan and budget

It is important that we receive all of the information requested within **15** calendar days from the date of this document so that USAC may complete the review of your funding request(s). USAC urges you to carefully review your response before returning it to ensure that you have provided complete responses to all questions. Finally, note that USAC is unable to grant multiple or lengthy extensions to respond to this request for information.

#### Who can respond to this request for information?

This document requests information that must be provided by the applicant or by the applicant's authorized representative.

A checklist of the items requested in this document is included on page 2. If you have any questions regarding this or these worksheets, please contact the reviewer at the phone number or email address listed below.

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Selective Review Information Request Checklist - Please complete and return with your responses.

On the first page of each document you provide please write the corresponding FRN(s) the document pertains to.

# This Checklist is for 471 App # 899427

Item#	Items to be returned to the Selective Reviewer	Document(s) Title & Corresponding FRN	Status
1	Signed & dated contracts and/or other agreements	Attachment-Item 1 -	☐ X Enclosed
	with service providers related to the FCC Form(s) 471	Contracts_471_App#899427.zip	□ N/A
2	Request For Proposal (RFP)	See below	☐ X Enclosed
	Please specify:		□ N/A
	Release date: mo/day/year		
	Bid due date: mo/day/year		
3	All bid responses received for all Priority One &	Attachment- Item 3 - Bids - App#899427.zip	☐ X Enclosed
	Priority Two funding requests. If no bids were		□ N/A
	received for any FRN, please indicate so in writing.		
	It may be helpful to include a chart as indicated below:		
4	Vendor selection process description (created during	See Below	☐ X - Enclosed
	the bidding process)		□ N/A
5	Was a consultant used relating to the planning,	No Consultant was used to apply for this	☐ Enclosed
	implementation and support of your E-rate funding	funding	□ N/A
	requests?		
	☐ Yes		
	□ <u>X - No</u>		
	If yes, provide a signed and dated Consultant		
	Agreement(s) or Letter of Agency.	CT NOTES	
6	Correspondence between the consultant/service	Attachment- Item 6-Correspondance -	☐ X-Enclosed
	provider and the school/library regarding the	App#899427.zip	□ N/A
	competitive bidding process and the application	H.	
	process		
7	Organizational Structure, such as organizational flow	See Below for Organizational chart	☐ X-Enclosed
	chart, reporting structure, etc.		□ N/A
8	Technology Plan Support Request for FY 2013 (page 5)	The requests for funding were all priority 1	☐ Enclosed
	Indicate Technology Plan creation date:	and no technology plan is required.	□ <u>N/A</u>
	mo/day/year	Alhambra does have a technology plan on	
	Indicate time period your technology plan covers:	file if needed.	
	mo/day/year through		
	mo/day/year		
9	Budget Information (page 5)	Attachment:	☐ Enclosed
	(Approved operating budget or alternative budget	FY14_Alhambra_Adopted_Budget.xlsx	
	documentation for FY 2013)		
	Please check which you have provided:		
	☐ Final and Approved budget for 2013-2014		
10	☐ Letter and Budget Alternatives		· · ·
10	Selective Review Certification (page 6)		☐ Enclosed
	(Include signature, title, date and please complete all		
	sections.)		

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#### Selective Review Overview

We are requesting and will be examining information for ALL FCC Form(s) 471 listed on the cover page of this document that were filed by the billed entity for the 2013-2014 funding year (Funding Year 2013). Please notify us if you have any additional FCC Form(s) 471 for your Billed Entity number that we have not listed. Also, please include any applications that may have been filed under a different entity number, if that entity belongs to the Billed Entity (e.g. elementary schools within a School District that file their own applications in addition to the applications filed on their behalf by the School District or a Consortium. This review will include all of those applications as well).

It is important that you identify these additional applications at this time. Failure to do so may delay or jeopardize funding commitments and/or post-commitment disbursements. In addition, it may also result in future adjustments to any funding commitments that you may receive from us, or other action. We will continue the PIA review of applications for the Billed Entity, but be advised that no new funding commitments or payments for existing funding commitments for 2013-2014 funding year applications for this Billed Entity will be processed until this review is complete.

This document is a <u>quick tool</u> to guide you with your Selective Review responses. For complete instructions and further information regarding the Selective Review process, USAC recommends you refer to <a href="http://www.usac.org/sl/applicants/step05/selective-review.aspx">http://www.usac.org/sl/applicants/step05/selective-review.aspx</a>.

## Part I: Information Regarding your Competitive Bidding and Vendor Selection Process

For each of the following items we have outlined the requested documentation you will need to supply.

- Please provide the information by funding request number (FRN) unless otherwise indicated.
- In the event that a document (e.g. contract, RFP, bid response, etc.) applies to multiple FRNs, simply indicate on the first page of the document which FRN(s) is supported by the document.
- If, for any reason, you do not have any of the documentation requested below, you MUST provide a complete explanation for why it is missing.
- For FRN's that reference a prior year FCC Form 470, please provide the competitive bidding and vendor selection documentation for the year that established bidding for those FRN's as well.



#### **Schools and Libraries Division**

# 1) CONTRACTS AND/OR OTHER AGREEMENTS

Attachment-Item 1 - Contracts\_471\_App#899427.zip

2) REQUESTS FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

An RFP #S09-28-15 was issued prior to the posting of the 470. Since the RFP did not meet the rule of 28 day posting, we determined that it was necessary to redo the process using the form 470 to meet the ERATE eligibility requirements.

The form 470 was posted (12/22/2009) for 28 days. Vendors were not selected until after the 28 day posting (01/19/2010). All service providers' proposals participating with the 470 were accepted through January 19, 2010. All service providers were evaluated by same criteria. 470 (Yr 13 470 337150000797962).

#### 3) BID RESPONSES

Proposals, bid responses, etc., received in response to the FCC Form 470, and/or any RFP are a part of the attachments. Attachment
 Item 3 - Bids - App#899427.zip

App#	FRN#	#of bids received	Vendor selected	
899427	2445212	4	Qwest	
899427	2445584	2	Qwest	
899427	2445607	16	School Fusion	

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# 3) BID RESPONSES CONTINUED

## FRN 2445212

Qwest (CenturyLink)

Cox

TW Telecomm

XO

## FRN 2445584

Qwest (CenturyLink)

Cox

## FRN 2445607

## **470 Poposals**

**Community School Builders** 

eChalk

Edline

Foxbright

FTC

School Loop

**School Fusion** 

Schoolinx

SchoolsinSite

**Sharp Schools** 

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## 4. VENDOR SELECTION PROCESS

Application: 899427 FRN: 2445212 and FRN:2445584

These two FRNs for Telecommunications represent the entire Phone service so both bids evaluated together – QMOE and Basic Phones (DS3, PRI, Flat Business Lines)

Vendor Scoring (use additional worksheets if necessary)

	Service Category	Telecom				
			Cox	Qwest	Tw Telcom	XO
	criteria	points scale	points per criteria	points per criteria	points per criteria	points per criteria
1	price	1 to 11	5	10	8	10
2	qualifications	1 to 10	10	10	10	8
3	financial stability	1 to 10	10	10	9	9
4	compliance with terms	1 to 10	9	10	5	5
5	capability to perform	1 to 10	8	10	9	8
6	conforms to specifications	1 to 10	9	10	7	7
7	compability with existing equipment	1 to 9	8	9	8	8
		70 point total	59	69	56	55

Telecom Bid Analysis yr 14

Request for Service From 470	Cox	Qwest	TW Telecom	XO
Telecomm				
DS3 1		\$1,740.00		
QMOE 16 Campuses and district office	\$61,080.00	\$36,703.00		
PRI Circuit 2 way 24 trunks	\$3,125.00	\$1,986.00	\$2,484.85	\$1,995.00
Basic Phone service Analog lines for 16 campuses and district (151				
lines)	\$3,040.80	\$5,194.70		5774.24
Total Telecom Service	\$67,245.80	\$43,883.70	\$2,484.85	\$7,769.24
			Not	Not
			Complete	Complete

<b>Evaluation Team Names</b>	s +s, 125, 17,00
Nan Williams	
Joe Cerracchio	
Jeff Holder	



Application: 899427
FRN: 2445607 – Web Hosting
Process

#### 470 - Bid Process:

A "Short List "was developed by removing vendors with bids at extremes. Bids that were very high or very low in cost were eliminated. Remaining vendor proposals were ranked by price. SchoolFusion was the lowest in cost. Since price is the lowest and met the criteria on the 470 in the selection process, SchoolFusion was selected through the evaluation processes.

NOTE:

Through the years, SchoolFusion has changed names: Although School Fusion won the bid, The spin for School Fusion is the same as Edline and the contract is with Centrafuge, LLC which is Edline and School Fusion. The extended Contract for years 4 and 5 is labeled Backboard but this company also has the same spin.

## February 2010

Alhambra District entered into agreement for web hosting service for SchoolFusion. SchoolFusion was a division of Centrifuge Solutions LLC.

\*License agreement was with Centrifuge for Centrifuge's web hosting service, **SchoolFusion** (the "Service").

## Invoices

2/26/10 Invoices from SchoolFusion 7/30/10 Invoices from SchoolFusion

7/11 Invoices from SchoolFusion, an Edline Solution; payments made to Edline LLC d/b/a/ SchoolFusion

7/12 Invoices from Edline, a Blackboard Company; payments made to Edline LLC

8/12 Invoices from Edline, a Blackboard Company; payments made to Edline LLC

8/13 Invoices from Blackboard Engage, formerly Edline; payments made to Edline LLC d/b/a/Blackboard Engage

## 5) CONSULTING AGREEMENTS

· No consultant was use to apply for these funds

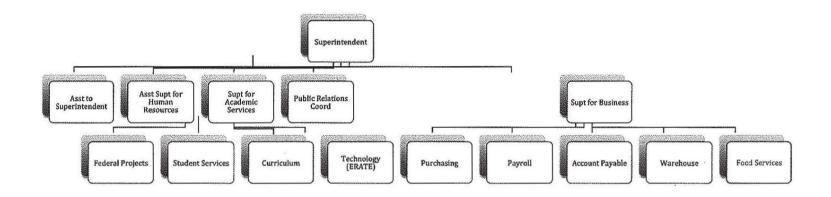
# 6) CORRESPONDENCE

Provide a copy of all correspondence between your entity and any service providers or consultants regarding the competitive bidding process and the application process.

See Attachment: Item 6-Correspondance - App#899427



## 7) ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE







#### **TECHNOLOGY PLAN**

471 Application 900314 is requesting only priority 1 services. Technology plan is not included. Alhambra has an approved technology plan on file. It is available upon request.

#### **OPERATING BUDGET**

2013-2012 Operation Budget is in attachment labeled: FY14\_Alhambra\_Adopted\_Budget.xlsx

## Alternatives to a Final Approved Operating Budget:

If a final approved budget is not available or is still in the approval process, we will accept certain alternative documentation, please go to: <a href="http://www.usac.org/">http://www.usac.org/</a> res/documents/sl/pdf/inforequest/Item-25-Instructions.pdf for further details.

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## **Selective Review Information Request Completion Certification**

Complete and return the enclosed Certification to the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD). If the applicant's authorized representative completed the information in this document, please attach a copy of the letter of agency or other agreement between the applicant and consultant authorizing them to act on the school or library's behalf. For the purposes of this form, in the Employer's Name field, a consultant should enter the name of his or her consulting firm. Please note that if an authorized representative signs this form, an authorized school or library official is also required to sign in the space provided below.

Note: If a consultant was used, a school official MUST sign below. If no consultant was used, Section 1 must be completed with the applicant's information.

SECTION 1: AUTHORIZED REPRES	ENTATIVE INC	OPMATION		
Name of Authorized Representative	Title			
Dr. Nan Williams	Director of Te	cnnology	- WWW. and World Co. Co.	
Email Address	Telephone			
nanwilliams@alhambraesd.org	Office: (602)335-2953 Fa		Fax: (602) 336-2271	
Authorized Representative's Employer's Name				
Alhambra Elementary School District				
Employer's Street Address		State	Zip Code	
4510 N 37 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Phoenix		AZ	85019	
SECTION 2: APPLICANT	INFORMATIO	Ń		
Billed Entity Name	Billed Entity I	Number		
Alhambra ESD	142906			
Funding Year 2013 FCC Forms 471 Application Numbers:		•		
899427 900314				
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SECTION 3: CERTIFICATION	ON STATEMEN	TS		
! certify that I prepared the responses in this document	on behalf of the	e above nam	ned entity.	
<ul> <li>I certify that despite any budget deficits, fund-raising eff</li> </ul>				
be able to finance this budget.				
Authorized Representative's Signature,				
			11/7/13 Date 11/07/13	
Authorized School or Library Official's Signature and Title		Date		
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Print Name of Authorized School or Library Official Named A	bove			
Dr. Karen Williams, Superintendent				

The FCC's Fifth Report and Order (FCC 04-190) released on August 13, 2004, sets out document retention requirements for program participants. Failure to comply with these requirements will put your funding at risk.

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